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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants:	TAN et al.
Serial No.:	11/553,812 – Case No.: 21198P
Filed:	02 October 2006
For:	RHESUS MONKEY BOMBESIN RECEPTOR SUBTYPE-3 (BRS-3), NUCLEOTIDES ENCODING SAME, AND USES THEREOF

Art Unit:

1646

Examiner:

HOWARD, Zachary C.

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LETTER SUBMITTING NEW DECLARATION
IN COMPLIANCE WITH 37 CFR §1.67(a)

Sir:

This is in further Response to the Office Action of 28 March 2008, in which the current Declaration under 37 CFR §1.63 originally submitted October 2, 2006 was objected to by the Examiner for failing to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR §1.67(a).

Applicants herewith submit a copy of a new Declaration in compliance with 37 CFR §1.67(a) which properly identifies the instant application by application and filing date. Since the instant application was jointly assigned, Applicants also enclose *two* signed Power of Attorney forms along with *two* signed Statements under 37 CFR 3.73(b). An authorization to charge Deposit Acct 13-2755 for the appropriate fee for submitting the Declaration is also enclosed.

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Enclosure

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Respectfully submitted

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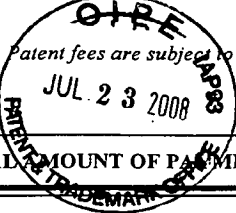
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